

Applicant(s)	Sills	<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>AMENDMENT</u></b>  <b><u>AND RESPONSE</u></b>  <b><u>UNDER</u></b>  <b><u>37 C.F.R. § 1.111</u></b></p>
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The Office Action mailed on October 3, 2007 has been reviewed. Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

This paper is accompanied by a Petition, as well as the appropriate fee, to obtain a one-month extension of the period for responding to the Office action, thereby moving the deadline for response from January 3, 2008 to February 4, 2008 as February 3, 2008 falls on a Sunday.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 8 of this paper.